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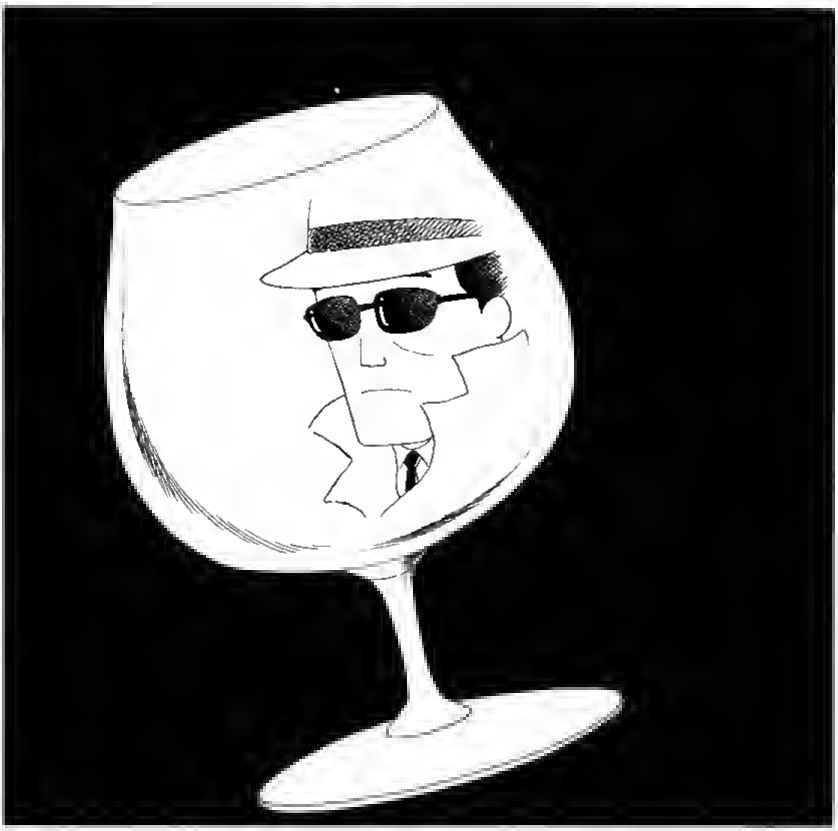

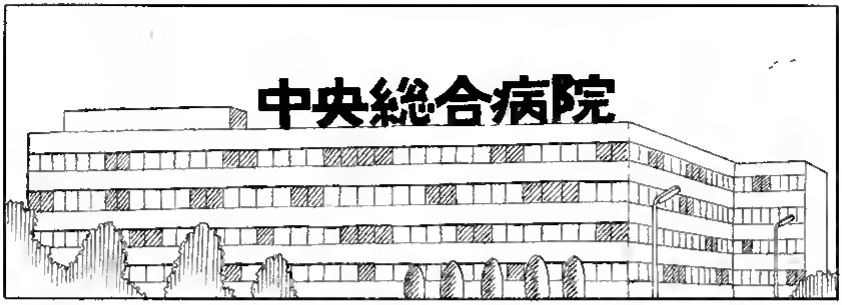

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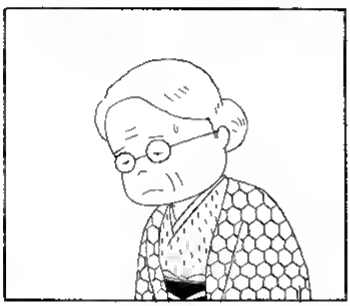
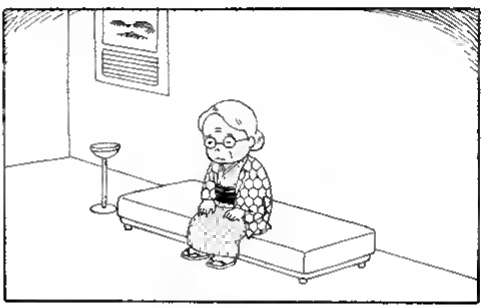
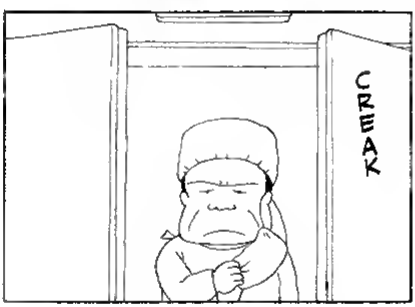
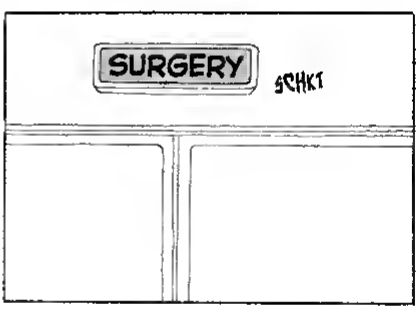
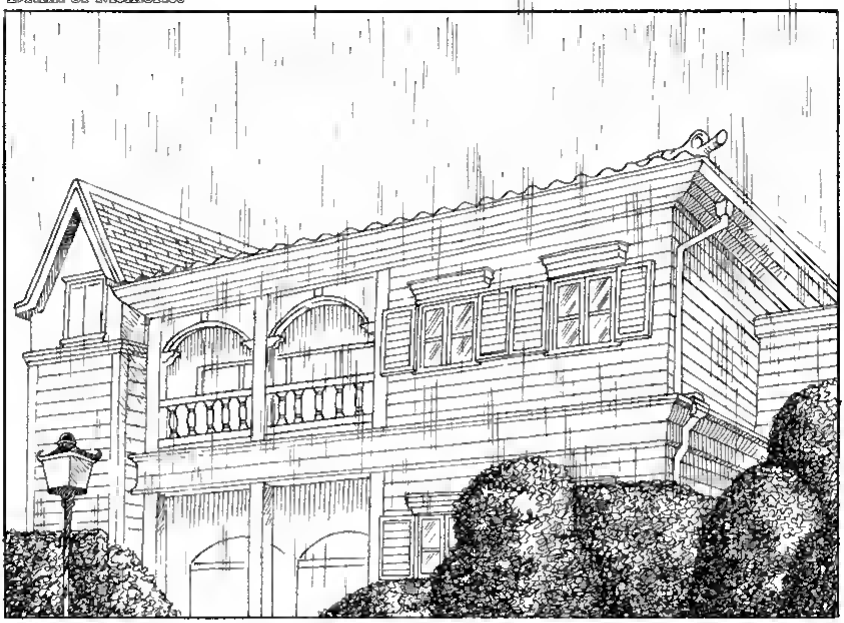
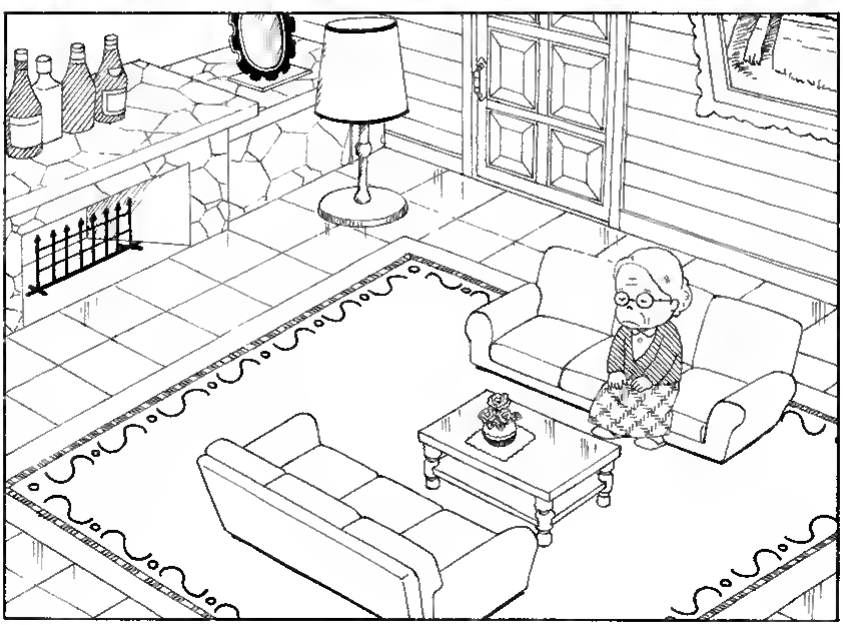


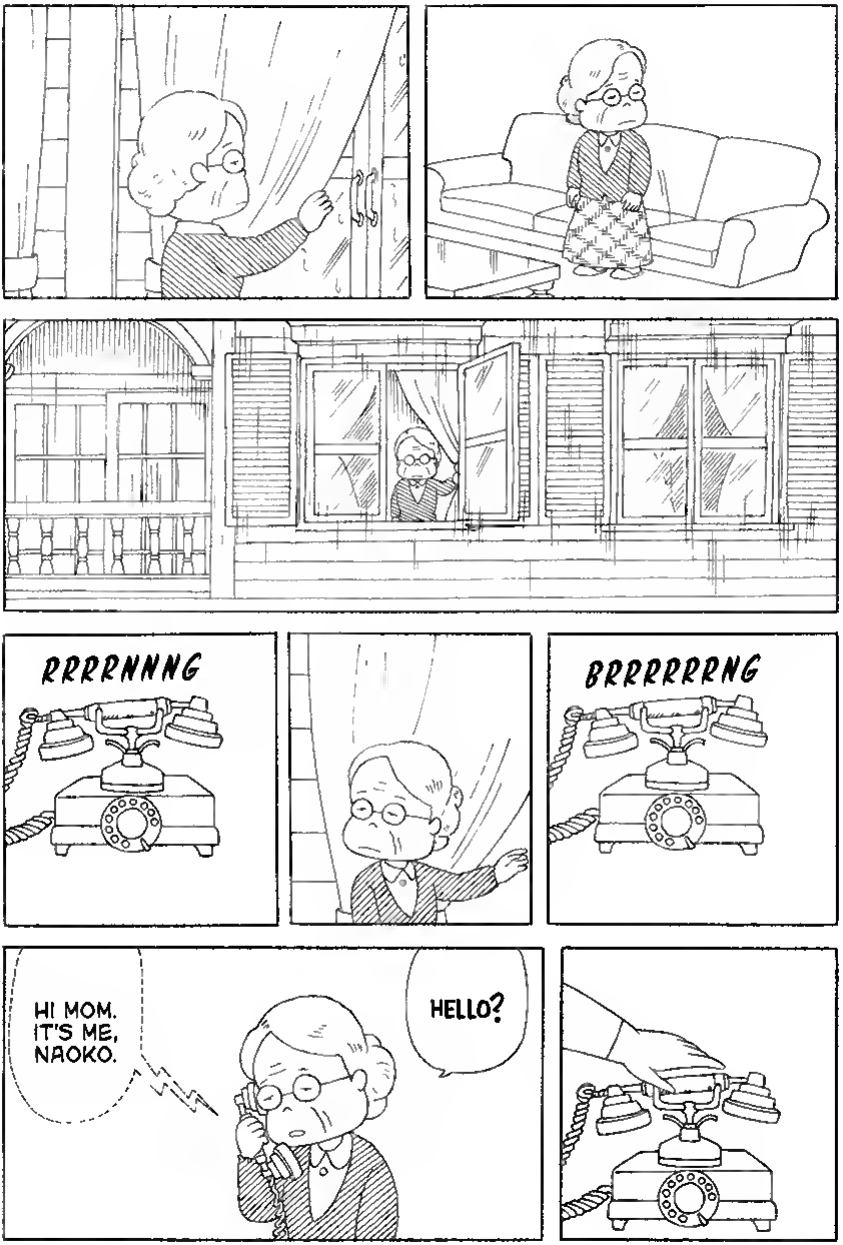


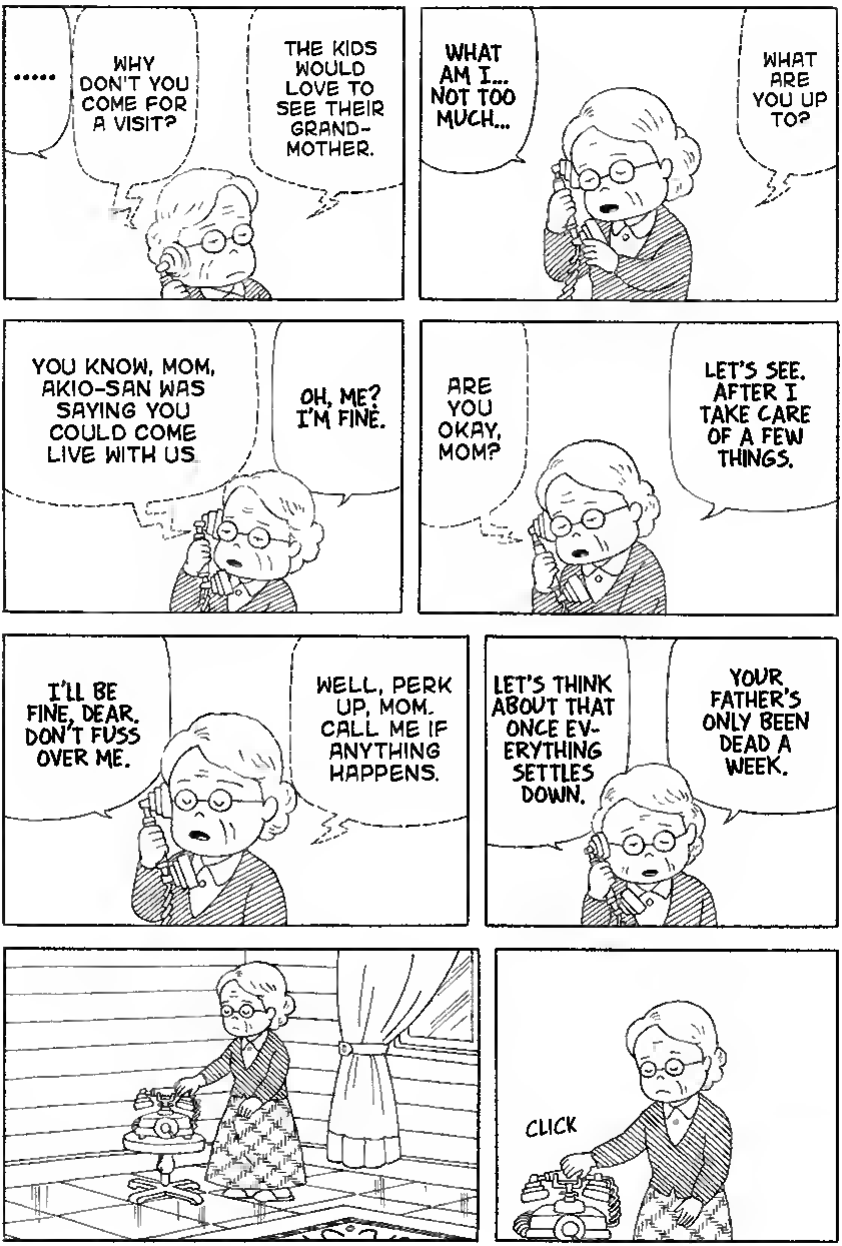









RRRRNNNG
BRRRRRRNG
HI MOM. IT'S ME, NAOKO.
HELLO?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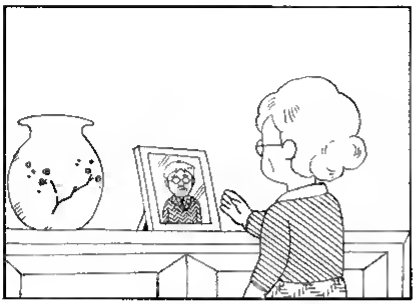
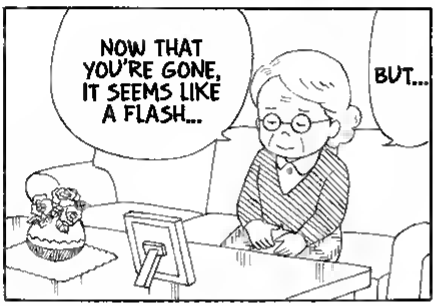
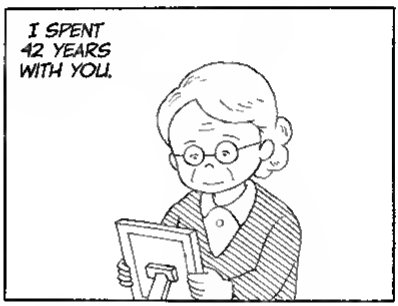
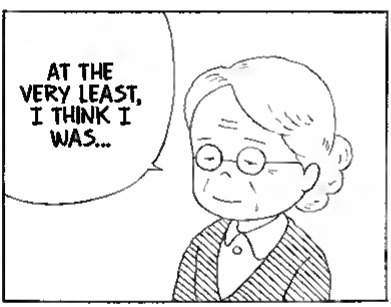
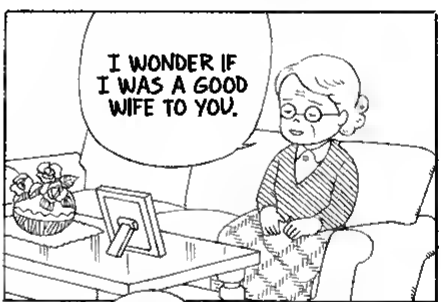
WHY DON'T YOU COME FOR A VISIT?
THE KIDS WOULD LOVE TO SEE THEIR GRAND-MOTHER.
WHAT AM I... NOT TOO MUCH...
WHAT ARE YOU UP TO?
YOU KNOW, MOM, AKIO-SAN WAS SAYING YOU COULD COME LIVE WITH US.
OH, ME? I'M FINE.
ARE YOU OKAY, MOM?
LET'S SEE. AFTER I TAKE CARE OF A FEW THINGS.
I'LL BE FINE, DEAR. DON'T FUSS OVER ME.
WELL, PERK UP, MOM. CALL ME IF ANYTHING HAPPENS.
LET'S THINK ABOUT THAT ONCE EV-ERYTHING SETTLES DOWN.
YOUR FATHER'S ONLY BEEN DEAD A WEEK.
CLICK

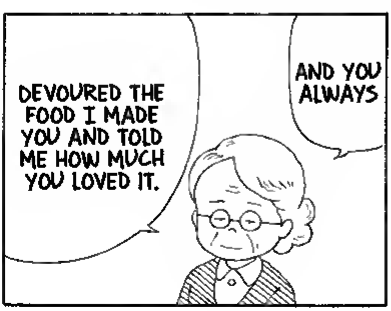


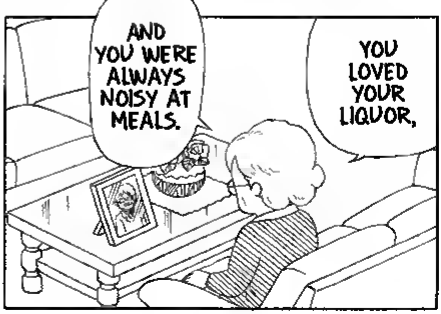

NOW THAT YOU'RE GONE, IT SEEMS LIKE A FLASH...
BUT...

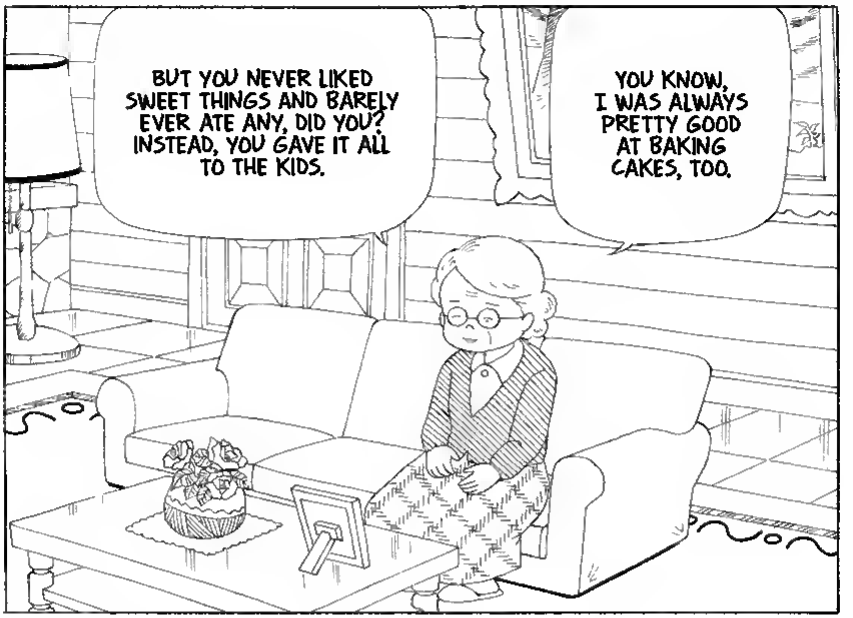

I SPENT 42 YEARS WITH YOU.

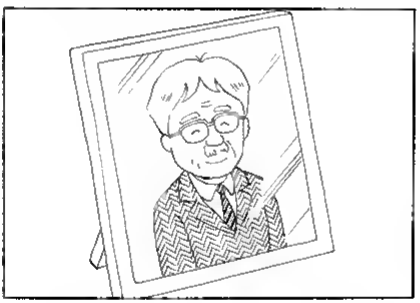

AT THE VERY LEAST, I THINK I WAS...

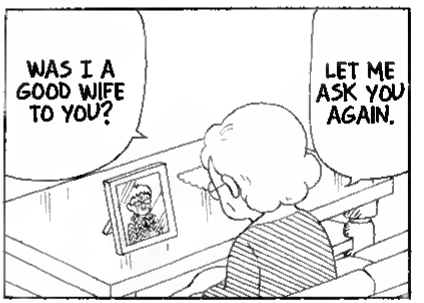

I WONDER IF I WAS A GOOD WIFE TO YOU.

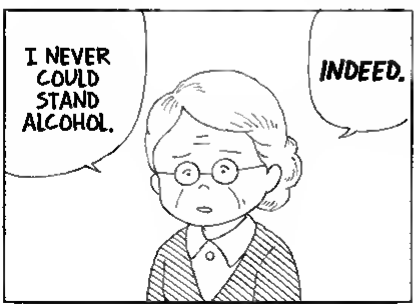

DEVOURED THE FOOD I MADE YOU AND TOLD ME HOW MUCH YOU LOVED IT.
AND YOU ALWAYS


AND YOU WERE ALWAYS NOISY AT MEALS.
YOU LOVED YOUR LIQUOR,

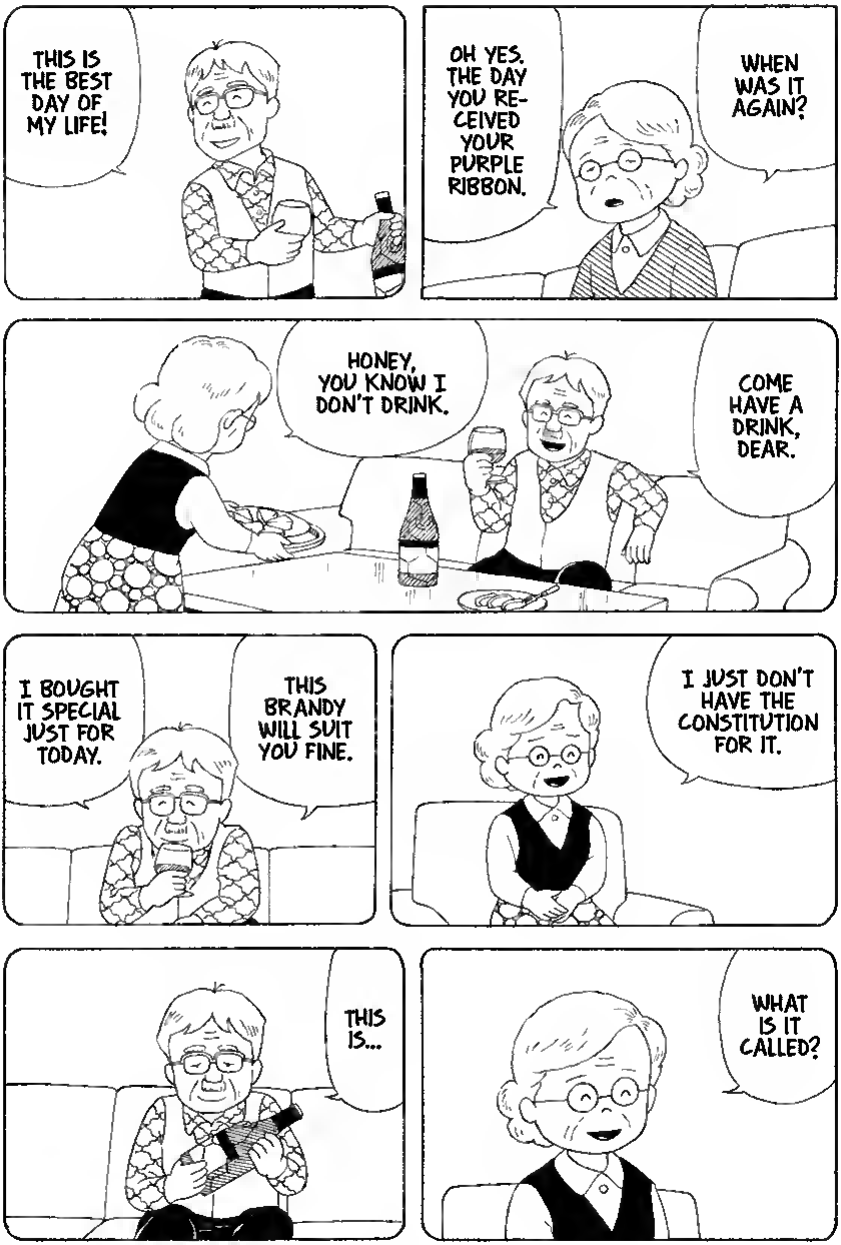

BUT YOU NEVER LIKED SWEET THINGS AND BARELY EVER ATE ANY, DID YOU? INSTEAD, YOU GAVE IT ALL TO THE KIDS.
YOU KNOW, I WAS ALWAYS PRETTY GOOD AT BAKING CAKES, TOO.




WAS I A GOOD WIFE TO YOU?
LET ME ASK YOU AGAIN.

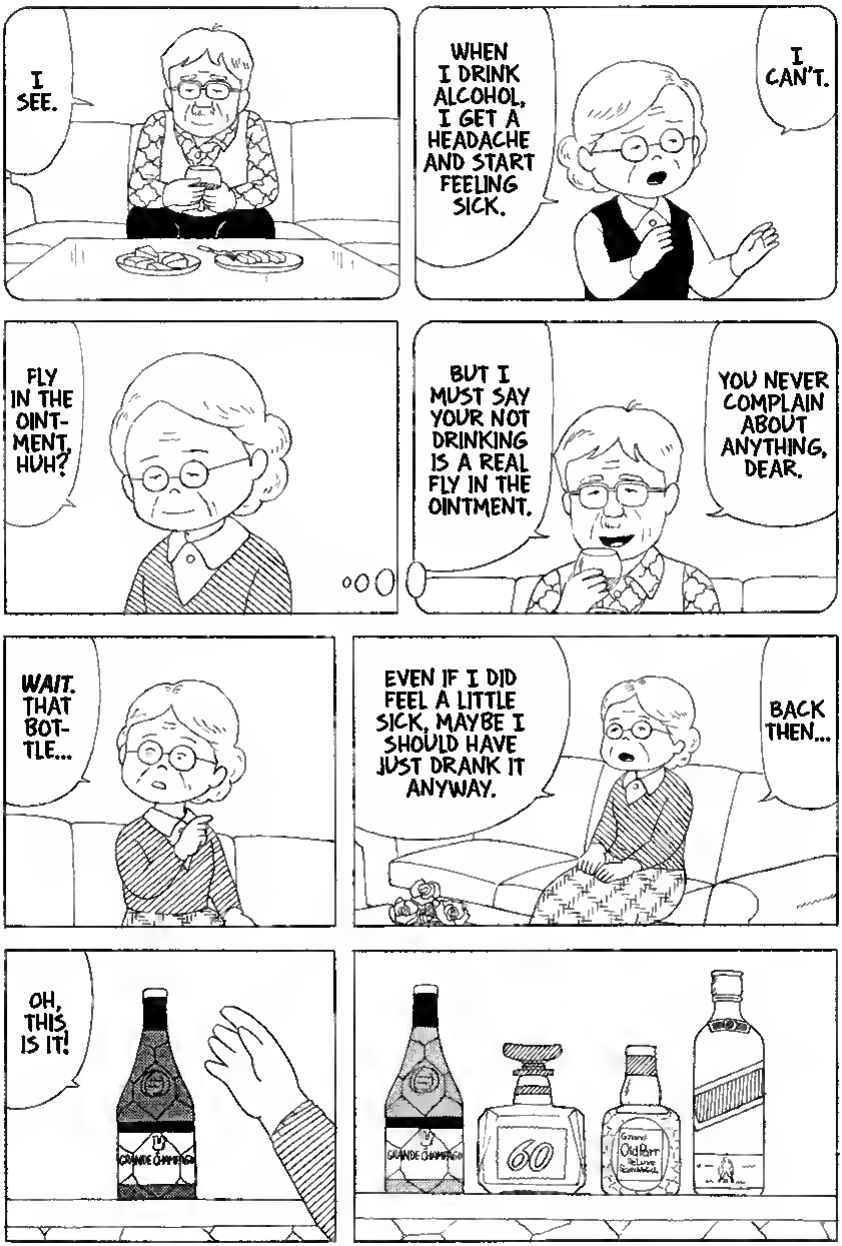

I NEVER COULD STAND ALCOHOL.
INDEED.

I SUPPOSE I DID HAVE ONE FAULT.


THIS IS THE BEST DAY OF MY LIFE!
OH YES, THE DAY YOU RECEIVED YOUR PURPLE RIBBON.
WHEN WAS IT AGAIN?
HONEY, YOU KNOW I DON'T DRINK.
COME HAVE A DRINK, DEAR.
I BOUGHT IT SPECIAL JUST FOR TODAY.
THIS BRANDY WILL SUIT YOU FINE.
I JUST DON'T HAVE THE CONSTITUTION FOR IT.
THIS IS...
WHAT IS IT CALLED?

NOTE: PURPLE RIBBON IN THIS CASE REFERS TO THE JAPANESE NATIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR FOR ARTISTIC/ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT SUCH AWARDS ARE INCREDIBLY RARELY ISSUED.

JEAN FILLIOUX TRES VIEUX.
JEAN FILLIOUX
GRANDE CHAMPAGNE
1er Cru de Cognac
JEAN FILLIOUX


I SEE.
WHEN I DRINK ALCOHOL, I GET A HEADACHE AND START FEELING SICK.
I CAN'T.
FLY IN THE OINT-MENT, HUH?
BUT I MUST SAY YOUR NOT DRINKING IS A REAL FLY IN THE OINTMENT.
YOU NEVER COMPLAIN ABOUT ANYTHING, DEAR.
WAIT. THAT BOT-TLE...
EVEN IF I DID FEEL A LITTLE SICK, MAYBE I SHOULD HAVE JUST DRANK IT ANYWAY.
BACK THEN...
OH, THIS IS IT!
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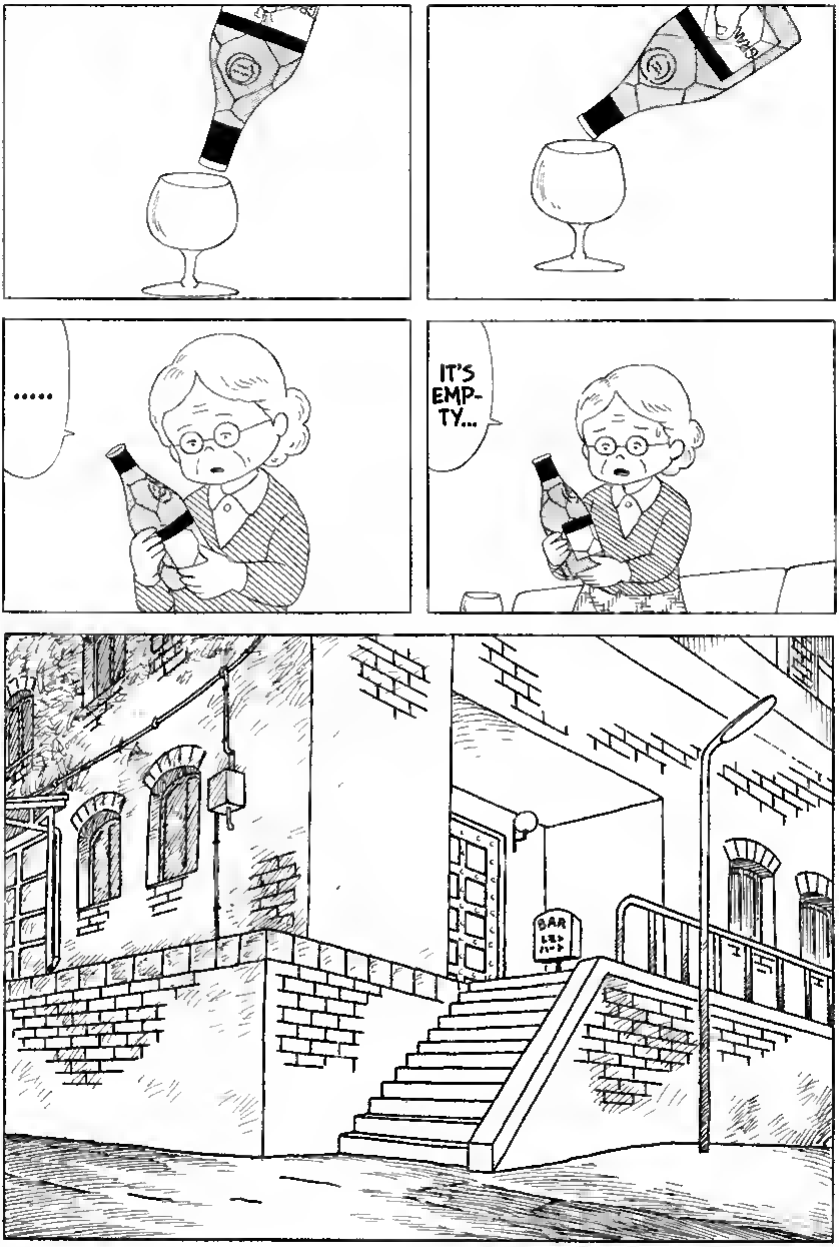
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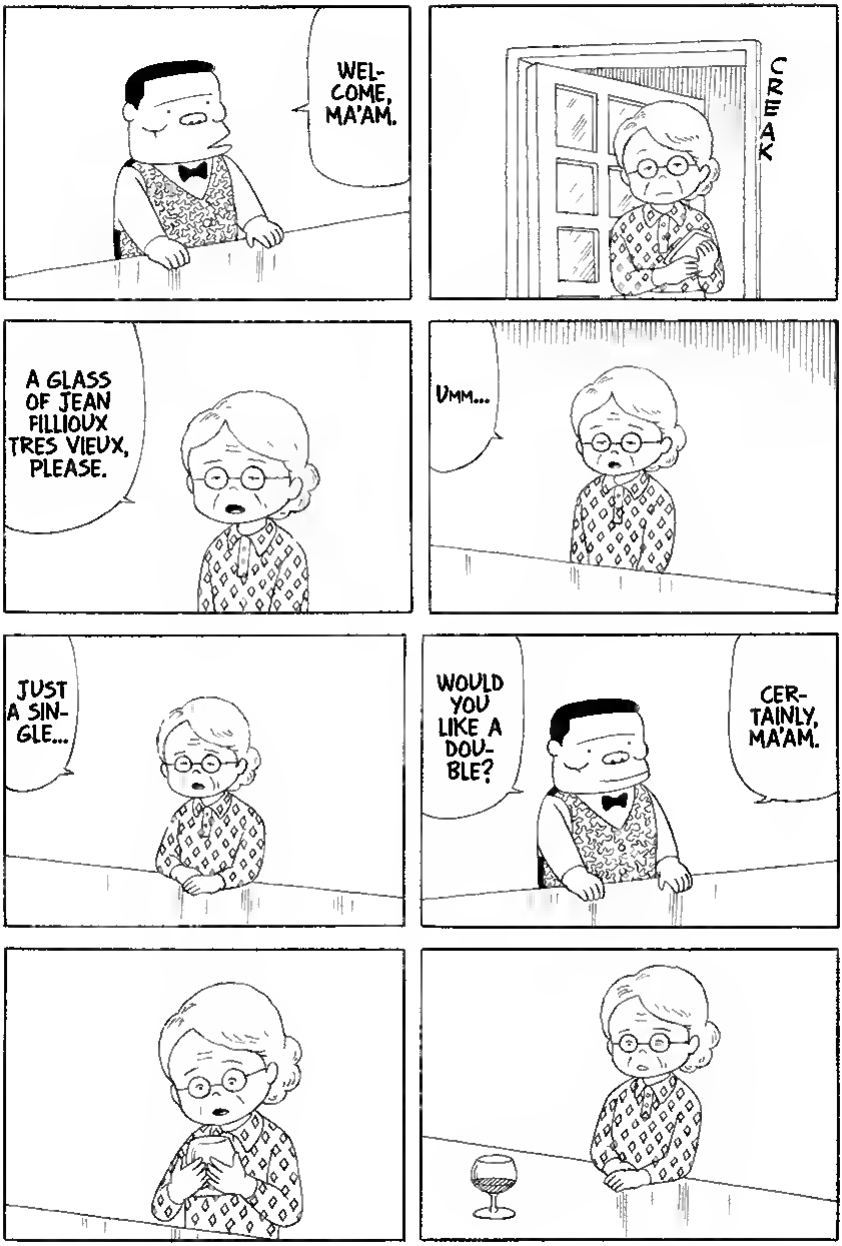
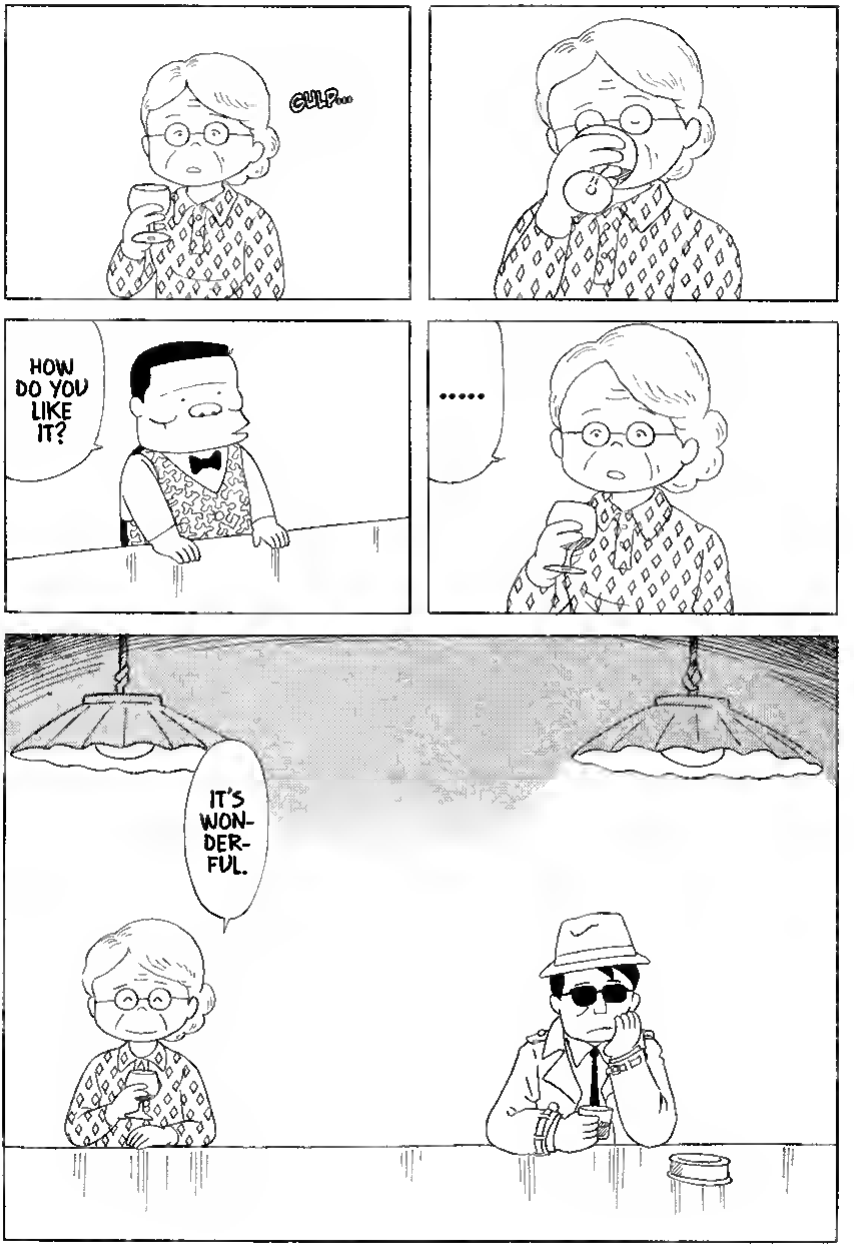
IT'S EMP-TY...
BAR


WELCOME, MA'AM.
CREAK
A GLASS OF JEAN FILLIOUX TRES VIEUX, PLEASE.
VMM...
JUST A SINGLE...
WOULD YOU LIKE A DOUBLE?
CERTAINLY, MA'AM.

MANY PEOPLE IDENTIFY ITS AROMA AS ONE OF THE FINEST AMONG ALL BRANDIES.
IT DOES.
IT SMELLS LOVELY.
OH?
IT'S MY FIRST GLASS.


GULP...
HOW DO YOU LIKE IT?
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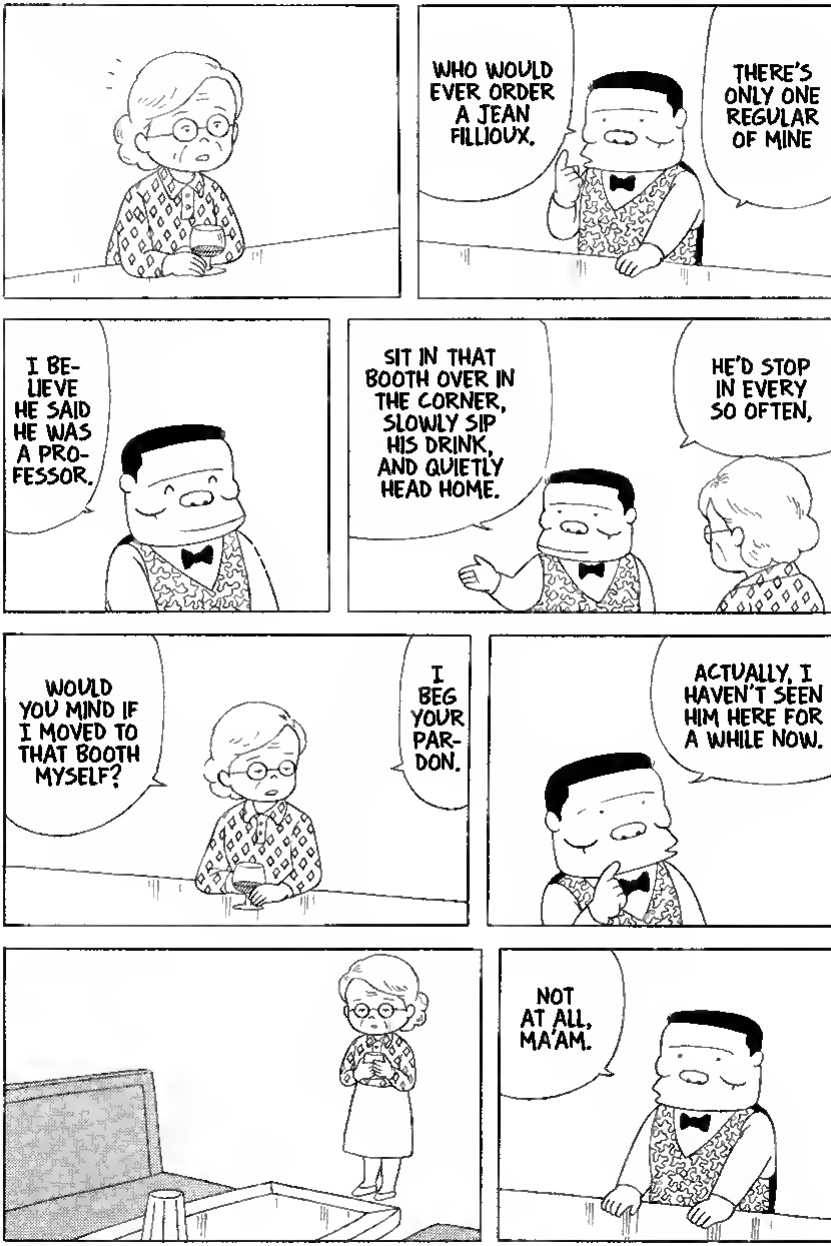
IT'S WON-DER-FUL.


WHO WOULD EVER ORDER A JEAN FILLIOUX.
THERE'S ONLY ONE REGULAR OF MINE
I BE-LIEVE HE SAID HE WAS A PRO-FESSOR.
SIT IN THAT BOOTH OVER IN THE CORNER, SLOWLY SIP HIS DRINK, AND QUIETLY HEAD HOME.
HE'D STOP IN EVERY SO OFTEN,
WOULD YOU MIND IF I MOVED TO THAT BOOTH MYSELF?
I BEG YOUR PAR-DON.
ACTUALLY, I HAVEN'T SEEN HIM HERE FOR A WHILE NOW.
NOT AT ALL, MA'AM.

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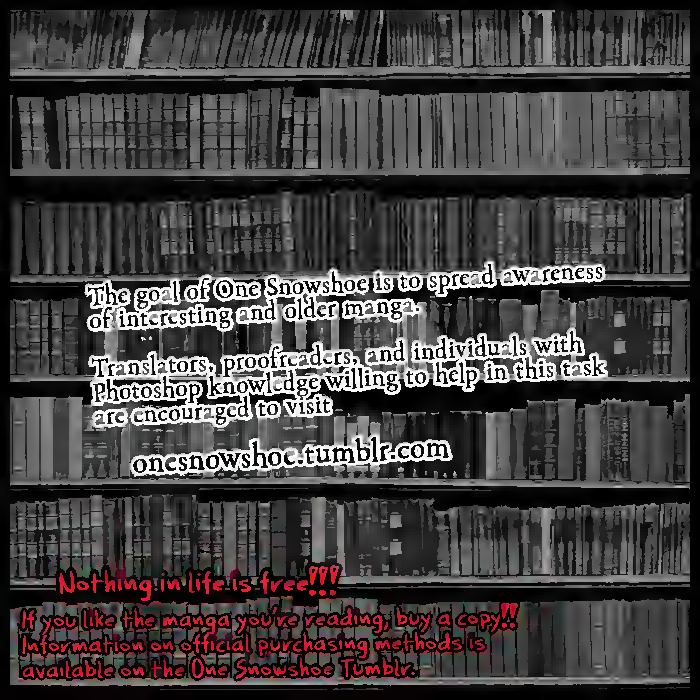
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